

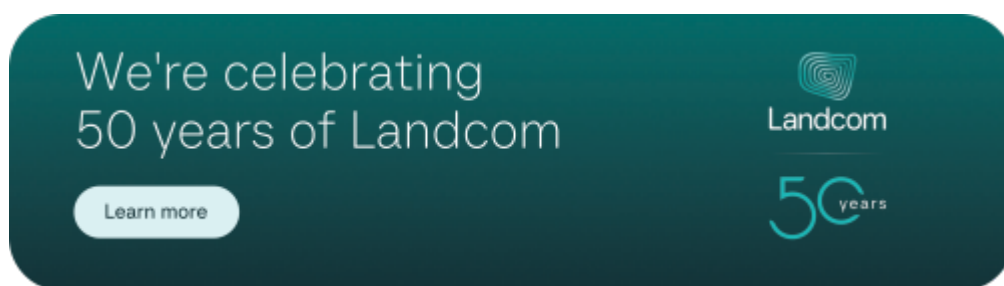
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Dear Reece and Nelson

Please find the endorsed wording from our Executive Director below in Italics.

Over the past decade, the Department of Education has upgraded more than 10 public schools in the Chatswood, St Leonards, Willoughby and North Sydney area, providing significantly increased capacity to enable projected long-term demand to be met.

This includes Chatswood Public School's upgrade, completed in 2024, within a kilometre of the Dive site. The school would have capacity to meet demand from the proposed Dive site development.

In the past five years, major upgrades have also been completed at Artarmon, Greenwich, North Sydney and Willoughby Public Schools and Chatswood High School, Willoughby Girls High School and Lindfield Learning Village.

Additionally, as part of commitments funded in the 2024-25 NSW Budget, works are currently underway or recently completed across the area, including at Neutral Bay Public School (capacity upgrade), Lane Cove Public School (new hall), Cammeray Public School (capacity upgrade) and Northbridge Public School (amenity upgrade to support demountable removal).

The department's school infrastructure planning is informed by Department of Planning, Housing and Infrastructure population and housing forecasts and council planning strategies. Demographic change and government share are considered, and intake areas may be adjusted to balance demand and capacity.

Thanks

Lincoln

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